



# Persistence to Graduation

Join us June 15-16, 2016 for the

## Persistence to Graduation Summit

hosted by AdvancED Kentucky and the Kentucky Department of Education

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**Events will begin at 5pm on June 15<sup>th</sup> with a reception and screening of *Most Likely to Succeed*, a film by Greg Whitely. A synopsis of the film includes the following statement:**

*The feature-length documentary Most Likely to Succeed examines the history of education in the United States, revealing the growing shortcomings of conventional education methods in today's innovative world. The film explores compelling new approaches that aim to revolutionize teaching as we know it. After seeing this film, the way you think about "school" will never be the same.*

**Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be served from 5pm-6:30pm, with the screening beginning at 6pm. A discussion of the film will immediately follow at 7:30pm.**

**Conference events will resume on June 16<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am with regular conference sessions, including topics around the following strands:**

Student Transition and Reengagement Strategies  
Alternative Programming  
Community Partnerships  
School Climate and Culture

**Both conference days will be located at the Lexington Convention Center in Lexington, KY. Registration is \$170 per person, which includes both days of activities and a boxed lunch on June 16<sup>th</sup>.**

### Keynote Presentation by A. Hasan Davis, J.D.

*There was a time when the first words that might come to mind when discussing Hasan Davis would have been delinquent or trouble maker. In his youth, running the streets of Atlanta, Georgia, Hasan barely stayed one step ahead of the law. After an early arrest as a pre-teen, expulsion from alternative school and a life long struggle with learning and behavior challenges, ADHD and Dyslexia, Hasan earned his GED and decided to leave the life he knew well, for one he could hardly imagine.*

